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Title: "Methods and Compositions for Polynucleotide Analysis Using Generic Capture Sequences"

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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION & FEE TRANSMITTAL

(for nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in connection with the above-identified patent application are the following:

I. Elements of the Application			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application	[1] page(s) of Cover Sheet		
	[52] page(s) of Specification		
	[19] page(s) of Claims (89 claims)		
	[1] page(s) of Abstract		
	[15] sheets of Drawings [] Formal [X] Informal		
<input type="checkbox"/> Declaration and Power of Attorney	[] page(s)		
[] Unexecuted	[] Executed	[] Copy from prior application (37CFR § 1.63(d))	
<input type="checkbox"/> Deletion of Inventors:	[] page(s) of signed statement deleting inventor(s) (37CFR§ 1.63(d) & 1.33(b))		
<input type="checkbox"/> Request and Certification Under 35U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission:			
[] page(s) of Sequence Listing (paper copy)			
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[] page(s) of Statement Under 37 CFR 1.821(f)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Microfiche Computer Program Appendix	_____		
II. Claim for U.S. Priority			
<input type="checkbox"/> This application is a	<input type="checkbox"/> Continuation	<input type="checkbox"/> Divisional	<input type="checkbox"/> Continuation-in-Part
of Prior Application No.	_____ filed _____	(35 USC §120)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of United States Application Serial			
No. 60/200,635 filed April 28, 2000. (Provisional Application)			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The entire disclosure of the prior application referenced above, is considered as being part of the application filed herewith and is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety.			
III. Claim for Foreign Priority			
<input type="checkbox"/> This application claims the benefit under 35 USC §119 of Prior Application No.	_____		
filed	_____		
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IV. Accompanying Documents

Assignment Papers [] page(s) of Recordation Cover Sheet [] page(s) of Assignment

Applicant(s) claims Small Entity Under 37 CFR § 1.27 [] Verified Small Entity Statement was previously filed in Prior Application No. _____ on _____, _____.

Information Disclosure Statement [] page(s) of PTO-1449 [] copies of IDS References

A Preliminary Amendment [] page(s)

A copy of a Petition for Extension of Time (mos.) filed simultaneously in Prior Application No. _____

A copy of a Submission of Processing & Retention Fee (37 CFR § 1.78(a)(1) which is being filed simultaneously in Prior Application No. _____

Other _____ (specify)

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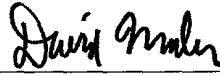
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EXTRA CLAIMS FEE					
CLAIMS	# FILED	# EXTRA	RATE	RATE	
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Independent claims	5 - 3 =	2	\$80.00	\$40.00	\$ 80.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)					
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